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# Frozen Fruit, Announcement FV-201 Commodity Specifications, FV201-CS1

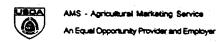
## AMENDMENT NO. 2

PURCHASE OF FROZEN FRUIT FOR DISTRIBUTION
TO CHILD NUTRITION, NEEDY FAMILY AND OTHER DOMESTIC FEEDING
PROGRAMS

The purpose of this amendment is to revise the commodity specifications for Apricots contained in the Commodity Specifications, FV201-CS1. The following revised language replaces the language contained in (1) I. Packing, Labels and Packaging, 1. Primary Containers and 2. Secondary Containers (cases), e., (2) II. Individual Commodity Specifications, B. Apricots, 4. Net Weight; and (3) Exhibit 4, Universal Product Codes of the Commodity Specifications, FV201-CS1 issued in June 1999.

- I. Packing, Labels and Packaging
  - 1. Primary Containers
    - a: Frozen Freestone Peaches and Frozen Apricots (in individual serving sizes) must be packed in new primary containers.

      Primary containers are to be plastic type containers with a foil seal. The primary containers will contain the name of the product, ingredient statement, the net weight in ounces and kilograms, and a keep frozen statement.
  - 2. Secondary Containers (cases)
    - e. Frozen Freestone Peaches and Frozen Apricots (in individual serving sizes), Identity coding must be on the cases, container marking is optional.



## II. Individual Commodity Specifications

#### B. Apricots

- 4. Net Weight:
  - a: 20 pounds per box\*\*
  - b. 32 pound plastic containers
  - c. Frozen Apricots in Individual Serving Sizes
    - 1. Grade: U.S. Grade A
    - 2. Style: Diced (3/8 to ½ inch)
    - 3. Individual Net Weight: 4 ounces per cup. 96 cups per case.
    - 4. Size of Primary Container: Individual portion serving cups.
    - 5. Pack Formula: The fruit shall be packed into a syrup at a ratio of 5+1 fruit to sugar, resulting in a final average Brix measurement of 60°. Ascorbic acid and citric acid may be added.
    - 6. There shall be No cooked product of any kind used.

Exhibit 4

#### **Universal Product Codes**

Frozen Fruit	Primary Containe	r Secondary Container
Apple Slices	7 1500101346 0	1 07 15001 01346 7
Apricots (20-lb.)	7 1500101358 8	1 07 15001 01358 5
Apricots (32-lb.)	7 1500101354 2	1 07 15001 01354 9
Apricots, (96/4 oz. cups)	7 1400101384 2	1 07 15001 01384 9
Blackberries (30-lb.)		1 07 15001 01370 2
Cultivated Blueberries (30-lb.)		1 07 15001 01367 2
Native Blueberries (30-lb.)		1 07 15001 01366 5
Evergreen Blackberry Puree (6/5-3/4)	7 1500101376 7	1 07 15001 01376 4
Marion Blackberry Puree (6/5-3/4)	7 1500101377 4	1-07 15001 01377 1
Red Raspberry Puree (6/5-3/4)	7 1500101373 6	1 07 15001 01373 3
Cherries, RTP (30-lb.)	Not required	
Cherries, RTP (12/2 ½-lb.)		1 07 15001 01383 2
Cherries, IQF (40-lb.)		1 07 15001 01364 1
Cherries, IQF (12/2.5-lb.)		1 07 15001 01389 4
Peaches, Freestone (2-lb.)		1 07 15001 01419 8
Peaches, Freestone (20-lb.)		1 07 15001 01424 2
Peaches, Freestone (96/4 oz. cups)		1 07 15001 01422 8
Red Raspberries (25-lb.)		1 07 15001 01372 6
Strawberries (30-lb.)		1 07 15001 01375 7
Strawberries, 4+1 (30-lb. plastic)	N	ot required

All other terms and conditions remain unchanged.

Sincerely,

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